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ANOTHER BIG FAILURE ON WALL STREET

France Notifies Germany That Sabotage Cease

PARIS, June 8—France sent to Germany a strongly worded note demanding that resistance of the Military Control Commissions cease immediately. Premier Poincaré will communicate with the other allies regarding the advisability of replying to the latest German reparations offer, but in the meantime he made it clear to Germany that the latter's policy of sabotage and resistance must end before any agreement can be reached.

**A. B. WALKER, AGD
WHITE MAN DIES
NEAR TRACKS
THURSDAY**

Late Thursday afternoon railroad employees discovered a white man in the weeds near the tracks just south of the tower in the right of way of the H. & T. C. Railroad.

Judge Osborn Kennedy was called and visited the place and found that the man had been dead possibly a few hours, but rendered no decision as to the cause of death.

The body was turned over to the Undertaking company and investigation of his trunk which was found at a local hotel produced evidence that the man was A. B. Walker, aged about 68 years. He had several bank books, one issued by the City National Bank, of Mexia, some deeds to property in New Mexico and some oil leases in the Powell field.

It also appears that his home was in Des Moines, Iowa, and the body is being held awaiting answers to messages sent relatives up there.

It is supposed that death was the result of heart failure, as the man was soon walking down through the yards Thursday morning, apparently in good health.

**W. K. Boyd Back
From Mississippi**

W. K. Boyd, president and manager of the Daily News, returned Thursday afternoon from a two weeks vacation spent at his old home in Enterprise, Miss.

He says it rained nearly every day he was there, and that fires were uncomfortable for several days.

Mr. Boyd says the crops around Enterprise are the finest he has ever seen anywhere, and that no artist could paint a more beautiful picture of waving corn and growing cotton.

He spent Thursday in Corsicana, where they are getting ready for a boom on account of the Powell oil field that is now getting interesting. Said he saw a number of Mexia people in Corsicana opening up branch offices, but they all swear by Mexia, and long to get back home.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
SERVICES**

Bible school at 9:45. Carl Davis Superintendent.

Worship and preaching at 11:00 "Throwing Stones" will be the subject of the morning message. Every member of the church is expected at the service. Visitors will receive a hearty welcome, so come and be with us.

Christian Endeavor at 7:00 p. m. C. O. Sorenson, leader. The leader has promised us a surprise at this service so let us all be there and see what it is.

The subject for the sermon at 8:00 p. m. will be: "The Three Worlds." Come and hear about them.

We all hope that the teachers that are leaving for their home for the summer vacation will return next year to continue their work. Those who have left are: Misses Faerine Quin, Ruby Strud, Matty Gregory, Ruth Jewell, Jamie Murray and Alpha Neumann.

Two Ships Wrecked—Crews Rescued

Did Jesse Carson Kidnap Hammer Slayer?



Jesse Carson

**Swept On Rocks
But U. S. Ship
Goes to the
Rescue**

SEATTLE, Wash., June 8—The crews of two ships, victims of a double disaster on hidden rocks near Chiricahua Island, 100 miles south of the Alaskan peninsula, were saved by the United States supply ship Cuyama. The mine sweeper Cardinal and survey ship Discoverer were both wrecked when the wind lashed waves dashed the vessels on the rocky reefs. Radio advices stated that the Cuyama removed the crews safely in small boats. A total of 135 were aboard the ships.

TAXI WAR IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, June 8.—An alleged "cheater" taxicab drivers war was blamed yesterday for the slaying of Frank Sexton, "union slugger" resulted today in bombing of the home of Morris Markin, president of the Checker Taxicab Manufacturing Co.

The residence was partially wrecked and Markin and his family were thrown from their beds.

FRENCH WRECK KILLS SIX

BRUSSELS, June 8.—Six persons were killed and twenty injured when the Brussels express was derailed near Verviers.

Julius Fohs of New York and Bob Bratich of the Dallas Land office of the Humphreys Oil Company arrived on the noon train Friday for a two days consultation with Col. A. E. Humphreys regarding oil properties and pending developments.

Frank Smith and Walter Kinard of Dallas who have been looking after their oil operations in the Groesbeck field passed thru Mexia Thursday via auto on their way to Dallas. Mr. Smith speaks very encouragingly of the Groesbeck field and thinks it only a matter of a short while until they will find there an oil field that will renew interest in this entire section.

Judge and Mrs. C. S. Bradley of Groesbeck attended Col. Humphreys party and dance last night at the Club House as special guest of the Host.

**Recess Is Taken
In Oil Fraud
Cases Fort
Worth**

FORT WORTH, Texas June 8.—The government rested today after the first "round" of its fight against oil stock fakers in Texas.

With the quick disposal late yesterday of the cases of J. W. Carruth and L. G. Reynolds, Jr., promoters of the J. W. Carruth Oil company and the Hog Creek Oil company, who pleaded guilty, and were sentenced to a year and a day each in Leavenworth and fined \$5,000 each, the government was without a case until June 25.

The A. F. Luse case, set originally for June 11, and the case of Fred L. Haskins and others, set for June 18, both have been moved up to June 25. The Pilgrim Oil company case has also been set for that date.

Federal Judge Benjamin Bledsoe, who presided at the trials of promoters of the General Lee Development Interests and the Carruth interests is returning to his home at Los Angeles. Judge Robert Irvin of Alabama will be here for the next trials.

**Three Bills Are
Passed Today**

AUSTIN, June 8.—Without making a single deduction on the floor of the House, the general educational appropriation bill was finally passed. As passed, the bill carries appropriations for the next two years of \$10,469,604, or a decrease of \$1,400,000 as passed by the second called session.

The Quinn 2 per cent sulphur production bill passed the Senate, 17 to 6.

The Baugh bill, amending the regular session's rural credit act, also passed, 23 to 0.

Judge A. M. Blackmon, wife and daughter were up from Groesbeck Thursday night. Mrs. Blackmon and daughter attended a picture show while the Judge attended the meeting of Knights of Pythias. The Judge stated that it was their 30th anniversary and they were just out for a little drive in the cool of the evening as his court duties will not permit of a more extended vacation.

NEWEST SPORT ON OCEAN LINERS



The manner in which bicycle-riding on the long promenade decks of great ocean liners has leaped into popularity with transatlantic passengers has made it almost certain that all of the large ocean greyhounds will shortly be equipped with bicycles. The decks are suitable for the sport, and the ocean air is invigorating enough to make it enjoyable. This photo of Miss Laura Walters was taken on the White Star liner Majestic.

**Illinois Solons Take Fancy
Shot at Prohibition Forces**

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., June 8.—A bill to repeal the state prohibition act was introduced in the Illinois legislature by O'Grady of Chicago, and sent to the committee to do. The measure, which has defeated several less important bills, has no chance of passing, leaders point out. Sufficient time does not remain, as the legislature adjourns next week. The legislature has defeated several less important bills.

Tommy Thomson of Dallas arrived on the noon train as the guest of Colonel Humphreys and son I. B., for the Rotary luncheon and party Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hickman motored over to Waco Thursday, where Mr. Hickman attended to business.

**Brokerage Firm
Of Winkelman
& Company
Fails**

NEW YORK, June 8—Wall Street already trembling from a series of sensational failures, was given another shock by the closing of the doors of L. E. Winkelman & Co., big curb brokers, with offices in New York and the principal cities of the country.

Winkelman & Co., was the third largest brokerage house on the curb market Jones & Baker, the largest, collapsed only a few days ago.

On the petition of three creditors Judge Bondy of the United States District Court, appointed Charles Livingston receiver for the company.

Liabilities are placed at \$1,750,000 and assets at \$1,500,000 in the petition.

**Governor Sends
More Subjects
To Legislators**

AUSTIN, Texas, June 8.—What little hope remained in the legislature concerning completion of that body's work by the end of the present session was dispelled yesterday by Governor Neff's message in which he made recommendations which could not possibly be acted on in less than several weeks.

The executive's message was generally regarded as indicating he had already made up his mind to keep the solons in Austin for another session.

The governor's message contained ten additional subjects of general nature and fifteen local bills. The most important was a law providing for tax equalization. The list also included an act regulating by taxation and otherwise, the use of trucks and jitneys for hire and general traffic on the public highways.

A resume of activities in the legislature yesterday follows:

Senate: Passed finally departmental appropriation bill.

Adopted free conference committee report on judiciary appropriation bill.

Reported favorably house bill levying tax on traveling circuses and theatrical companies.

House Kill Pope Itemized substitute for educational appropriation bill.

Killed in committee Bonham bill denying right of evidence to unrecorded notes, by adverse report; Smith bill taxing insurance agents two dollars annually, by postponement; Green bill levying occupation tax on merchants, by postponement.

Favorably reported Bonham bill requiring assessors to use diligence in securing rendition of promissory notes and stocks and bonds.

Farm bloc voted to support income tax.

**Allies Consider
Late German Note**

By WEBB MILLER
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

PARIS, June 8—Advisability of making a uniform reply to the latest German reparations offer was discussed in interchanges of opinion between allied representatives today.

Premier Poincaré favors a policy of completely ignoring the Cuno proposal to mortgage the German Empire to pay her allied war debt.

Belgian and British interests, however, believe some sort of reply should be made and Poincaré may be pressed to their view by the desire to present a united allied front.

Poincaré holds a reply will do little good as the Germans have entirely disregarded the first requirement laid down by France—abandonment of the policy of passive resistance against the Ruhr occupation.

There will be services at the Central Presbyterian church Sunday, June 10th, at 11:00 a. m. preaching by the Rev. Dr. David C. Bayless. Also preaching at night at 8:15 p. m. at the Union church and Epworth League at the usual hours.

The electric fans will keep you cool and the preacher will keep you awake. Come and bring someone with you.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Services Sunday night, June 10, at 8:00 o'clock, conducted by Dr. David Carson Bayless.

Everybody cordially invited to attend and strangers in the city are especially welcome. Come and worship with us.

D. H. Gibson, Clerk of Session

Colonel Humphreys Host To Rotarians

**MOUNTAIN TROUT
SERVED THURS.
AT LUNCHEON**

BERTHELSON FARM IS SCENE
OF MUCH MARREY MAKING
BY BIG CROWD

MRS. FOX THANKED

For Graceful and Tempting Service
of the Many Appetizing
Dishes

Thursday was a gala day with the members of the Mexia Rotary club. The regular weekly luncheon was transferred to the dining room and club house of the Humphreys Oil Company on the Berthelson farm, where the entire club, their ladies, quite a few visitors and a few special guests of Colonel Humphreys were the guests of the President of the club, Col. A. E. Humphreys. There were approximately 200 people present who enjoyed every minute of the luncheon and delightful program, presided over by Rotarian Pat Patterson.

The menu consisted of:

Iced Cantaloupes

Sliced Tomatoes

Pickles
Rocky Mountain Trout
Chicken Dumplings
String Beans
New Potatoes
Corn Meal Gems
Buns
Rye Bread
Iced Tea
Lemonade

The Rocky Mountain Trout was a special treat from the Colonel, as he had these fish caught especially for this occasion in the mountains north of Denver, and iced and shipped in a special container for the delectation of the Mexia Rotary club their ladies and friends. They were delightfully prepared and every one voted the repast a rare treat. The ice cream was also especially prepared for the occasion being prepared in individual containers which on being opened, showed the Rotary "R" molded into the cream.

After a short address of welcome by Col. Humphreys the program for the day was in charge of Rotarian Pat Patterson and after the delightful eat the club was entertained for a space of time that seemed far too short with the following program:

Vocal solo by Miss Lucille Priddy.

Vocal Duet by Miss Priddy and Mrs. Oscar Denning.

A talk on "Pep" by Rotarian Dave Bayless who was forced to respond to several encores which he did with

his usual grace, telling stories and giving both humorous and serious recitations, in his characteristic Bayless way, which local Rotarians claim cannot be duplicated.

Tommie Thompson was there with his ukulele and the luncheon, not only sang several songs very acceptably but captivated everybody with his recitation of "Powder River" telling how the Wyoming boys in the Great War gave the Germans the celebrated "Powder River" yell.

Aesthetic dances were given by little Misses Eoline Watson and Alice Ann Bennett, which completely captivated the entire company.

The banquet was done in the usual Humphreys style there being a great abundance of food and every one made to feel at home, the only rule that was enforced was that all of the men under seventy years old had to take off their coats and make themselves comfortable. After the banquet was over the crowd dispersed, being reminded by the Colonel that they were expected to be at his guests at the party and dance at the Reunion Grounds on the evening and at 8:30 several hundred people gathered at the club house and enjoyed dancing and swimming to their hearts content. A delight repast was served consisting of punch, baked ham, barbecued weenies, served with buns and all of the necessary "at condiments". Music was fur-

ished for both occasions by a splendid orchestra and everyone present were loud in their praises of the generous host who had provided such a day and evening of whole-some amusement.

A rising vote of thanks was tendered to Mrs. Lucille Fox for the unusually graceful and efficient way that the tempting dishes were prepared and served.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The members of this church are earnestly requested to be present at a congregational meeting next Sunday, June 10, at 11:00 a. m.

Matters of vital importance to our church to come up, "B" there on time, Sunday, at 9:45 a. m. Come and bring someone with you.

G. A. Lyell, clerk of Session.

NOTICE

This is to advise all parties who are taking advertising space on certain street intersection marks not to pay for same as these markers will not be allowed to remain on streets.

W. C. Wilson,

J. R. Forrest, City Com.

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C. OF C. OPEN MEETING

Recently there has been some discussion in The News with reference to an open meeting of the membership of the Chamber of Commerce and it has been decided that this meeting will be held Friday night, June 15th, and as plans for the work of the Chamber of Commerce for the coming year will be made at this meeting every man in Mexia who is interested in the welfare and advancement of the town is urged to attend. Col. Humphreys has arranged to attend this meeting which will be the first open meeting of the Chamber of Commerce he has been able to attend for some time. He gives his unqualified endorsement to the program of the Chamber of Commerce and urges his friends to support the organization. As is well known fact, Col. Humphreys is chairman of the Advisory Board and takes keen interest in the affairs of the Chamber of Commerce.

During the coming week articles with reference to this meeting will appear from time to time in order that the people may not overlook it.

It has been the policy of the Chamber of Commerce in setting dates for its meeting to try to arrange them when they would not conflict with meetings of other organizations and at the present time they bespeak the same consideration for the meeting of June 15th.

There is no question but that Mexia needs a Chamber of Commerce as never before. There are big things to be accomplished which can be done through co-operative effort and not through drifting along atop the waves of progress.

CENTRAL TEXAS PRESS

By N. P. Houx

A LITTLE DIVERSION
Alcohol Smith III never be president of these United States. You bet your last dollar on this.

There seems to be a desire down at Austin to change the name of the state to "Taxes."

A rather "fishy" story comes from El Paso in the report that a man stole a red hot stove and the police found it at a pawn shop before it had cooled off. The fishy part is that the police found it so quick.



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Mrs. Tucker's Shortening

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A headline says: "Finds lizard that swims, flies, dives, climbs and laughs." Wonder what the "finder" has been drinking?

Clara Phillips is now known by a number—37,944—but she is still talking about a vindication in the courts.

It comes from Dallas that Tom Love, democratic national committeeman for Texas, is against Al Smith. And Tom is not alone in his opposition to the New York erstwhile boss.

Hanging will no longer be legally practiced in Texas, since Governor Neff has signed the bill substituting electrocution for the rope as a means of executing convicted criminals. But the rope will still be used in cases that the courts cannot or will not, reach.

A man in El Paso while praying but not watching, was robbed by another man with a Mexican name.

But he caught the thief and saw him convicted and sentenced to five years. It is supposed that the pickpocket was "watching" but not "praying."

And now there is talk of still another called session of the legislature after the present session gets out and nothing done.

How long, oh, Lord, are the people going to stand for such tomfoolery?

Geo. Bailey, the versatile paragrapher on the Houston Post says: "We don't put corned beef and cabbage above everything else in the world, but one bait of that delectable dish means more to us than

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forty-eight columns of Clara Phillips stuff, of which we have read not one."

But what is the poor proof reader to do about it?

It seems in Chicago it is necessary to enjoin people from paying their debts, as a judge of the windy city has just issued such an injunction.

Sam Miller of Mineral Wells Index is authority for the statement that a scientist has discovered that hens lay eggs in the day time because at night they become roosters.

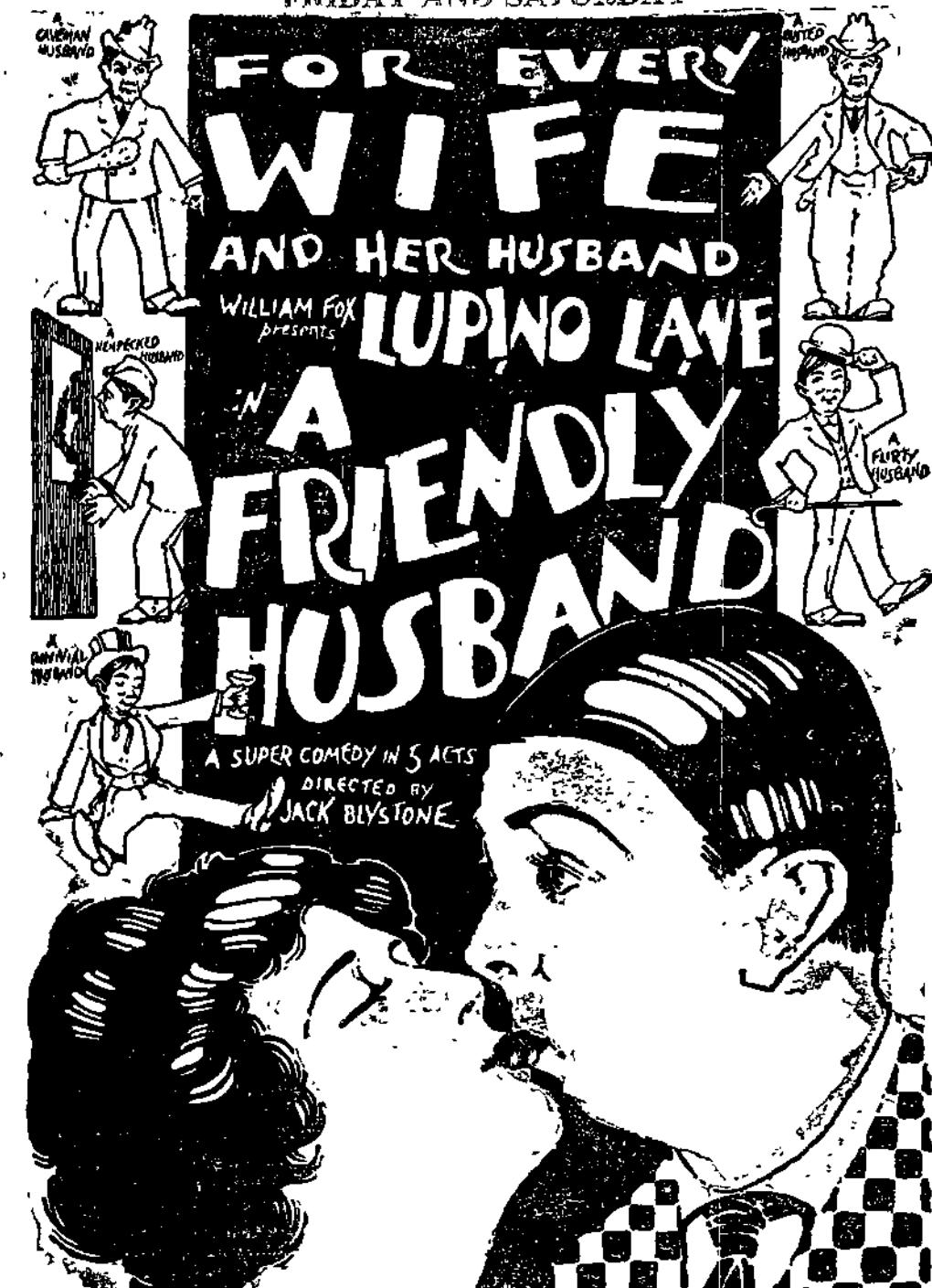
Buttermilk Lowry recently preached

to the Bozalhead Club of Dallas, and in the course of his terse remarks said he would on this occasion depart from the solemn injunctions of Holy Writ and "cast pearls before swine."

Mrs. E. L. Sizth and sister, Mrs. W. K. Boyd have returned from a visit to the old home in Terrell.

Palace Theatre

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY



Also "AROUND THE WORLD IN 18 DAYS"

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY and MONDAY

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No. 2 Can Tomatoes, per can.....	13c
No. 2 Can Early June Sifted Peas.....	19c
No. 2 Can Corn.....	13c
No. 2 1-2 Can Sliced Yellow Cling Peaches.	23c
No. 2 1-2 Can Sweet Potatoes.....	15c
One lb. Calumet Baking Powder.....	29c
Five lbs. Calumet Baking Powder.....	\$1.12
Ten lbs. Calumet Baking Powder.....	\$1.81
16 bars P. & G. Soap.....	\$1.00
Wool Soap Flakes.....	10c
Old Dutch Cleanser, per can.....	10c

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Big line Printed Voiles, per yard 19c, 25c, 35c and..... 45c
Satin Striped Tissues, yd. 35c to 45c
Nainsook; white per flesh, per yard 25c, 29c and..... 39c
36-inch Dimity and Pajama Checks, per yard..... 19c and 25c
Good grade Table Damask, per yard 50c, 75c to..... \$1.50
Curtain Scrim in white and ecru; as low as per yard..... 13c
36-inch wide Cretonne, all in good patterns, per yard..... 19c and 22c
Big line Dress Gingham, Special per yard 15c
Dress Gingham in new spring and summer patterns, per yard only 25c, 29c and 35c
Light colored Percales, per yard only 12½c
Bed Ticking, yard..... 19c to 25c
Feather Ticking, yard..... 35c
Heavy grade Cheviots in stripes and solid blue, yard..... 19c

One lot Remnants 1-3 off
White Lawn..... 19c and 10c
Apron Gingham, yard..... 12½c
36-inch bleached domestic, per yd., 19c, 15c and..... 12½c
36-in. unbleached domestic, per yd., 19c, 15c 12½c and..... 11½c
7-8 yard unbleached domestic... 10c
Shirting Calico, yard..... 10c
Bed sheets each, 95c, \$1.50 and \$1.75
Pillow cases, each..... 29c and 38c
Bath Towels, each .. 19c, 35c and 38c
Ladies Gowns, 75c, \$1.25 and.. \$1.75
Misses Gowns..... 75c and 95c
Ladies fancy undershirts 95c to \$2.50
Ladies Plain White Underskirts, each..... 75c and 95c
Ladies Camisoles..... 75c and 50c
Children's play suits.... 75c and 95c
Men's work shirts, \$1.50, 95c and 75c
Boys Shirts..... 50c and 75c
Boys Overalls..... 50c and 75c
Better grade boys o'alls for.... \$1.00
Men's khaki pants, per pair only
\$2.50, \$1.90, \$1.50 and..... \$1.25

Big line of men's shoes, having recently bought an entire stock, we have some big values to offer. Such as gunmetal, Russia calf, Vici some of the leading brands, most any shape you may require. Priced \$5.90, \$4.50, \$3.90, low as,..... \$2.50
Men's work shoes, priced as low as \$3.90, \$2.90 and..... \$2.50
Boys' dress shoes, priced as low as \$3.90, \$2.50 and..... \$2.00
Ladies silk and fiber silk hose in Gunmetal, Russia calf, very modestly priced, \$2.90, \$3.50, \$3.90..... \$4.90
Ladies silk and fiber silk hose in black, white and leading shades at 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and..... \$1.90
Ladies lisle hose..... 19c and 25c
Ladies silk lisle black, per pair. 50c
Children's ribbed hose, 2 for.... 25c
Misses ribbed hose, per pair.... 25c
Children's sox and 3-4 length, priced 25c, 38c and..... 45c
Heavy denim, yard..... 29c
Heavy Khaki Cloth for skirts.... 29c
Boys knee pants..... 50c, \$1.90

We are showing a big assortment of men's clothing in Palm Beach, Light Serges, Mohair Cloth, just the thing for the warm weather. Moderately priced \$10.00, \$12.50, \$13.50, \$15.00, \$17.50 and..... \$19.50
Men's odd pants. You should find just the thing for the present hot weather. See ours before buying elsewhere. \$1.90, \$2.50, \$3.50 to \$4.90
Men's Straw Hats to close out at big reduction, priced.. \$1.90, \$2.25, \$2.50
Men's and boys caps, priced at 95c, \$1.00, \$1.50 to..... \$2.25
One table full of men's and boys' odd and end shoes. These shoes are worth up to \$6.00 per pair. Your choice only \$1.90
Men's sox, 2 pairs for..... 25c
Better grade men's sox, 19c to.... 75c
Men's work coats..... 85c
Men's union alls, .. \$2.90, \$2.50, \$1.90
Men's athletic union suits..... \$1.00
Boys athletic union suits.... 75c, 50c
Children's bare foot sandals, low as pair 95c

These are only a few of the many prices we have to offer you in our store, as we have a house of bargains in Work Clothing, Shoe, etc. We promise to save you money on your Summer Purchases, as we buy them for less, so do we sell them for less. REMEMBER THE PLACE!

THE STAR STORE

EAST COMMERCE ST.

MEXIA, TEXAS

Roy Mitchell Death Sentence Confirmed Wed.

Austin, Texas, June 8.—The case of the negro, Roy Mitchell, convicted at Waco of the murder of Mrs. Ethel Denham, while she was out driving with W. E. Holt, was affirmed Wednesday by the court of criminal appeals. This is one of a series of cases against Mitchell.

"The record is devoid of any exception to the charge of the court," said the opinion of the higher court, "or to anything that transpired during the trial."

"The gravity of the punishment inflicted has caused us to scrutinize carefully the record to see if it be at all likely that anything has been done during the trial that would affect its fairness. We see no lack of fairness on the trial. The charge of the court was full and explicit. The testimony was overwhelming. The jury exercised the discretion confided in them in the administration of punishment."

Counterfeiting Booze Labels

NEW YORK, June 7.—Counterfeitors who manufactured fake liquor labels to pass off doctored booze as "real stuff" have been rounded up by the secret service in arrests which are believed to have thwarted a nation-wide plot.

Millions of bogus revenue stamps, labels, fake medical prescriptions and printing paraphernalia were seized.

Sixteen are under arrest and more may be taken.

Secret service agents who arrested the counterfeiters say the labels could have been used to disguise \$25,000,000 worth of any kind of liquor so as to make it appear that it had been smuggled into this country from abroad or illegally withdrawn from bonded warehouses.

The gang worked in several groups. One division manufactured liquor of questionable purity; another made the fake labels; a third managed to withdraw liquor from bondage under fake permits and the fourth dispensed the illegal wares of the other three.

The systematic raids were conducted over a 25 mile area in New York. Most of the thirteen were taken in Brooklyn. Three were found

in Manhattan. Two already have been held in jail.

Following the discoveries, Joseph A. Palma, chief of the local secret service issued a warning against buying of high grade Scotch liquor and "imported" gin. He said the intoxicants disguised by the counterfeitors were dangerous and officials had no way of knowing how many bogus bottles had been circulated throughout the country before the arrests were made.

Little Samaritan Buys Water For A Thirsty Pup

DALLAS, Texas June 8.—Filled to the brim with the milk of human kindness, little youngster in the neighborhood of five walked up to a soda fountain in the business district of this city, elevated himself on tiptoes and asked for a glass of water.

"I want to take it out," he said. "There's a dog down the street an' he's awfully thirsty and I think he would like a drink."

The dispenser smiled, filled a paper cup to the brim, passed it to the "good Samaritan" and the little tot shoved up a nickel.

Miss Abbie Favers, teacher in the Beaumont High school, is in the city spending the week with Miss Consula Cogdell.

If you miss the Shrine banquet tonight, you will regret it. The fun makers always enjoy their get-together meetings and there is always something doing when they take a notion to start something.

BIG SPECIAL—SATURDAY—High grade blue and white enamelware, at 75 cents each. See it in our window. Peoples Variety Store. 702

Summer school opens Monday, June 11th at 8 o'clock in Sumpter street building. Tuition \$10.00. Misses Simmonds, McAnally and Kauhl, teachers. Phone 165 and 150-J —Reader 7

Rapid progress has been made this week in laying concrete on East Sumpter street, between Ross avenue and Bonham street. When the asphalt topping is put on this unit, the first paved loop will be completed.

"The Old Oaken Bucket" was written by Samuel Woodworth in 1817.



A Scene from
"All the Brothers Were Valiant"

DAUGHTER IS LIKE A DIFFERENT GIRL

Dallas Mother Very Much Distressed
About Her Daughter's Health

STELLA VITAE BRINGS RELIEF
Mrs. T. B. Brown States Her Daughter
is Now Like a Different Person

"Some other mother may have a daughter afflicted like mine was, and that's the reason I feel that I should tell what Stella Vitae did for my girl," recently said Mrs. T. B. Brown, of 908 Fletcher Street, Dallas, Texas.

"I was really distressed about my daughter's condition, as for months at a time she would not have a period and her health, I was afraid, was breaking down. She often complained of headaches and dragging-down pains all through her body clean through to her back. She also felt dizzy at times and would have to lie down till the spell wore off.

"I gave her different kinds of medicines, hoping to find something that would bring her periods in a regular way and so end her troubles. But nothing I gave her did her any good till she started taking Stella Vitae. Soon after starting on this preparation she began to improve and now she is all right and never has any trouble at all."

Note—Stella Vitae may be obtained from many druggists and is sold upon the positive guarantee that the purchase price will be refunded if it fails to bring relief.

Stella Vitae is sold in Mexico by the Mexia Drug Company. (adv.)

There will be a meeting of Retail Merchants association, Friday, June 8, at 8:00 o'clock, in the office of Chamber of Commerce. All are urged to attend.

—B. S. Smith, Pres.
H. L. Hall, Secy.

Patterson's Col-



THE BASEBALL game

BETWEEN the Lions and the

ROTARIANS was played and

ACCOUNT of same has been

DULY PUBLISHED but believing

THAT HONOR SHOULD be given

WHERE HONOR is due

I SHALL state the facts

WHICH ARE that I would have

WON THE GAME easily for

ROTARIANS if I had been

GIVEN ANY support by

THE OTHER players but

HARDY EUBANKS didn't have a

thing

AND PETERED out in the third

AND BEN Stollenwerck can't

RUN and something

WAS THE matter with Etch

ETC HISON and the whole

DURNED BUNCH acted like

A PATH slow motion picture

AND SO I think that I did

PRETTY WELL to hold them

DOWN AS I did to twenty twenty

RUNS INCLUDING those they

WERE NOT entitled to

I THANK YOU,

—Patterson.

BOYS AND GIRLS AGRICUL-
TURAL CLUB

CENTER, Texas June 8.—More than 300 visitors are expected to attend the agricultural encampment for the Boys and Girls clubs of Panola, San Augustine and Shelby counties which will be held here July 6 and 7.

A program has been prepared for the occasion.

Hawaiian tree ferns have been found to be a source of starch.

ITCH!

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THE ME HI NEWS

BY WILLIE WRIGHT

Is it possible for Miss McCravey to give an easy exam. Mrs. Dawson to get fat. Mrs. Johnson to chew gum. Hazel Filder to be hardboiled. Griffin Thrift to play football. Dick Atkinson to be a bootlegger. Fred Hosking to keep away from the girls. Jim Smith to play tennis. Red Forrest to keep a starlight face. Bill Jowell to act natural. Emily Davis to giggle. Mr. Evans to pull a joke.

Dick Williams is trying to get a job working at the courthouse at Groesbeck—Wants to learn law I guess.

Carlos Clover said, that he was going to buy a new collar and handkerchief. Wonder how come—Got religion I guess or maybe he wants to go to—? now and then.

We understand that Miss Spearman will teach summer school here this summer. And still she says that she does not like to teach. Seems to us that the weather would be too hot.

The Slimes played their game against the Grammar School Sluggers Monday afternoon and came out riding on the small end of the 8 to 7 count.

SENIOR DOPE

You know folks, we feel mighty funny now that we have finished our High School course and I'll say that it sure takes a lot off of your back. What's more we sure do feel important but when we start thinking of the good times that we used to have at old M. H. S., we sorta feel lost and sorry that we had to leave. We have made many friends and some enemies, no doubt, back there, and thoro is where we learned to live like a man, work like a man, and above all respect and be respected like a man.

We would fight for M. H. S. as a mother hen would fight for her baby chicks. How we gloried in being able to defend the laurels of the school on grinton, diamond, track, basketball and tennis courts. These were and will be the happiest moments of our life, we know, for it was then that we learned the meaning of loyalty toward your school, and most of all, to be as good a loser as a winner.

I will say to those who follow, that they sure will have to work to make the grade, and I don't believe that you



EVERYBODY knows about the old enken bucket that hung in the well—nobody has reason to believe that it ever did anything else.

Every oil operator knows of valve cups that "just hang in the well"—doing indifferent work and for so short a time that frequent re-cupping results in smaller profits and costly unproductive effort.

When you re-cup, re-cup with Darcova. Look for the label which all men have known for 15 years as a mark of the first composition valve cup—and the best.



A Glance Over The Past

M. H. S. Athletic School

can make it in high, so you had better be ready to shift gears if necessary. Now whatever you do, do not get stuck up, or think that you are any better than any of the other pupils for I've found out this year that it is not true and by close observation you will find the same thing true yourself.

Some of us may leave you and some may not, and speaking for the whole class I will say, that we are glad that we have finished our work but we can

not say that we are glad to leave school, with its happy times and leave all of those friends whom we made the acquaintance of during our school days.

"Though we may all be scattered, Fond memories will turn back,

To our friends and gay companions
Of the Crimson and the Black.

—Reporter.

Enjoyable Meeting Knights of Pythias

Travis Lodge No. 20, Knights of Pythias had a number of guests from Groesbeck at the meeting last night and all enjoyed the affair. One Esquire from Groesbeck was Knighted and a number of good talks were made by Judge A. M. Blackmon, Judge Bill Kennedy, Jim Thompson and others, and then refreshments, consisting of ice cream and cake gladdened the inner man. There were several cars from Groesbeck.

A little rooting now and then is relished by the best of teams. Give the boys all the backing possible, now that they're back on the town lot.

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W. A. Jackson Company, Mexia, Texas

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—where most people trade.

classed as dangerous characters. Should they succeed in entering the United States they will be a potential source of unrest and economic social strife."

Captain Henson declared that the combined force of immigration and customs inspectors is not adequate to cope with the situation as it now exists. His district extends from a point on the river just below Sanderson to

the mouth of the river, a distance of 2,500 miles. This territory, he explained, must be covered by a force of 28 mounted inspectors.

"Our chief difficulty lies around the Laredo district. There are scores of professional smugglers who will take aliens across the river for any sum from \$5.00 up to \$200. We have had reports to the effect that these professional alien smugglers have agreed

to take European aliens to San Antonio for \$200, but, after bringing them across the river and taking the money, they have deserted the aliens and left them to shift for themselves."

Rubber trees yield as high as sixteen pounds of rubber a year.

Brides in Persia are married by the priest while the groom is not present.

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National Theatre

TODAY AND SATURDAY

A woman on a ship

She's a supercargo of trouble, seafaring men believe.
The superstition certainly holds good in

**ALL THE BROTHERS
WERE VALIANT**

By Ben Ames Williams

An Irvin V. Willat Production
Scenario by Julian Josephson

METRO PICTURE



Many Grammar School Students Promoted To The High School

M. L. Hurst, principal of the North Ward School, at the commencement exercises Monday night presented certificates to the following who completed the course of study in the Grammar School and who were promoted to the High School:

June Promotions to High School

Anderson, Bernice Barnes, Ola Brown, Dorothy Bule, Maurine Cochrane, Helen Cox, Rita Fielder, Ray Hughes, Genovieve Jackson, Cecil Lawrence, Delma Lawrence, Zelma Lily, Eva Mae McQueen, Ena Miller, Maurine Miller, Ruby Neely, Corrine Purcell, Noah Reed, Earle Reeves, Thelma Sikes, Beulah Spruill, Alma Stampf, Mary Stevens, Pauline Stewart, Willie Mae Stone, Fred Turner, Ruth Stone Wilson, Ruby Wood, Arma Wright, Pauline

Mid-Term Promotions to High School

Wendell Beeno

Arvin Butler

Louis Clubb

Chester Davis

Ernest Gant

Fred Hanscom

Chester Harris

Felix Knoff

Morris Knoff

Adron Medford

Jim Seal Garner

Gius Lewellen

Bill Meadows

Joy Adams

Mattie Allen

Viola Bokan

Dannie Lillian Bowers

Russie Le Browning

Thelma Martin

Lillie Robinson

Lola Rogers

Alice Yeldell

WHEN WHALE BOATS CRASH AND CAPSIZE

Fourteen members of the crew of the whaling schooner used for filming in "All the Brothers Were Valiant," now at the National Theatre, were thrown into the cold waters of the Pacific when two twenty-foot whale boats collided several miles out from San Francisco. Because of their heavy clothing, oilskin and seaman's boots they were saved only with difficulty.

The only prominent members of the cast in either of the boats was Robert McKim, Irvin V. Willat, who directed the picture, Billie Dove, Malcolm McGregor and Lon Chaney were interested spectators in the tug, which also bore the battery of cameras grinding steadily away.

In this scene of the Irvin V. Willat production the boats were to be chasing a whale for some distance. The

Richmond, Ind.—"I thought I would write a line or so, to say that I owe my good health and strength to Cardui," says a letter from Mrs. Cora Courtney, 31 Railroad Street, this city.

"I was all run-down until my family thought they would lose me," writes Mrs. Courtney. "My husband coaxed me to take Cardui, so, to please him, I did, and will say I do not regret it, for I am able to do all my work and do my shopping.

"I have five children, four in school, my husband and a boarder to do for, and I do all my own work for all of us, and find time to play. We all praise Cardui. Every sick and run-down woman should take this wonderful medicine.

"I suffered with my back; a very weak feeling in my limbs.

"I felt hardly able to drag; just tired—so tired all the time.

"It was an effort for me to do anything, but Cardui helped me so I felt like a different woman."

If you are in a run-down physical condition, suffering as this Indiana lady says she did, give Cardui a fair trial. It should help you.

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Lane's stage career fitted him probably better than any other comedian for screen work, in as much as his acting on the legitimate stage consisted almost entirely of pantomime. He was a great favorite throughout England and came to this country in the stage presentation of "Afgan," which scored a distinct success on Broadway. His success in that play prompted William Fox to star him in comedy productions.

"A friendly Husband" is replete with uproarious fun and is so entirely different from anything of its kind that has come before it that it proved a revelation to last night's audience.

Unlike the usual feature length comedy production, in "A Friendly Husband" there is no indication of so-called "padding," for during every minute of the picture there is action a-plenty and comedy of a spontaneous, unusual sort.

"All the Brothers Were Valiant" is an Irvin V. Willat production for Metro Pictures Corporation.

COMEDIAN PROMISES FIVE REELS OF FUN

This is laugh week at the Palace Theatre, where Lupino Lane, the International fun maker is holding forth in his first comedy special, "A friendly Husband," a William Fox production.

That the little English comedian has really earned his title of "the comedy king of two continents," is proved by the manner in which he captures his audience with this riot of joy. At the initial showing of the picture here he kept the huge crowd roaring with laughter from the time he first appeared on the screen until the final fadeout.

His comic pantomime is in a class all by itself his subtle expressions create spontaneous laughter almost at his will, his clever tumbling, his odd antics and peculiar workings of his legs all combine to make him a comedian of exceptional ability. His fun-making activities are not confined to the staging of unusual "gags," such

FELT TIRED, SO TIRED

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WOMACK LANE

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pay your light bill.

You should see the
ones WE have to pay!

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Ice, Light and
Water Co.

Tommy Gibbons Is Confident Can Lick Jack

SHELBY, Mont., June 8.—"I am just as confident as ever that I can take Jack Dempsey over the jumps," Tom Gibbons declared today as he sat in the sunshine on the front porch of his new home here, where he is to start training for his bout with the heavyweight champion July 4.

"If I weren't sure I'd win, the bout would be called off right now," he said as he twirled his new Bangkok hat, presented by a St. Paul admirer. Tom was holding an informal reception for the townpeople.

"I will always feel grateful to the

people of Shelby for giving me this opportunity which has been denied by eastern promoters for two years," he said.

"We had to come west to get our chance.

"I am not under-estimating Jack's

hitting ability, but I am very confident I can knock him out before ten rounds."

Tom, his wife, and three boys arrived Wednesday night from St. Paul. The challenger will not do any heavy work before Friday.

E. M. Hitt of the firm of Hitt and

Ellisor, proprietors of two local barber

shops, has been granted permission to

repair partitions in their new shop at

Corsicana, which is located at 212

South Beaton street.



NOW THAT YOUR HONEYMOON IS OVER!

Do you want to start your married life right—for continued happiness and independence?

Then, Mr. and Mrs. Newlywed, OWN YOUR OWN HOME. Perhaps you think you cannot afford it yet. Let us explain our plan. It is fitted to your needs and is no harder than paying rent. But, you have your own home.

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Two Closein Hotels For Sale.

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By George McManus



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CLASSIFIED RATES—One cent a word for each insertion. No single ad taken for less than 25 cents. Everybody reads these little ads, so if you want to buy or sell, or have lost or found any article, here is where you can get good results. No advertisement accepted over the telephone except from those who have a Regular Charge Account.

HELP WANTED—A

WANTED—Boys to carry paper routes for this paper. Between 13 and 16 years. See E. J. Ormby, Gandy News office. 6A3

WANTED—Boys to sell the Daily News each afternoon and Sunday morning on streets. See E. J. Ormby, Gandy News office. 6A3

WANTED TO BUY—B

WANTED—To buy 20 to 40 steel cuts, make me a price complete. At Powell, Texas. Also a three room house, cheap. T. W. Whitaker. 6E5

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—F

FURNITURE SALE—Anything in stock will be sold at 10 per cent discount for cash, if you buy this week. We buy, sell and exchange second-hand furniture. Waltons Furniture Co., by City Hall, Mexia Post Office, Corsicana. 7E7

WE SELL and exchange all kinds of furniture, floor covering, stoves, and kitchen hardware. M. Langston, now and second hand furniture. Phone 55. May 10th.

FOR SALE—J

SPECIAL SALE—House paint \$1.50 per gallon 6 ft. canvas awnings \$5.00. Hotel sheets, 50 & 75 cents towels 10 cents. Hollow wire lighting system \$15.00. Grocer scales and show case. Pop corn machine, beds, dressers and many other second-hand articles. All kinds of second hand goods bought, sold and exchanged. Auction Store, 117 East Palestine street. 5E5

FOR SALE—Second-hand lumber, brick and kindling wood. See Superintendent at Mexia High School, at once. 5J3

FOR SALE—A 16 room apartment house; 7 room residence on lot 125 feet fronting on East Palestine street. See Leonard Tidwell at Tidwell's Grocery. 4J10

FOR SALE—Potato slips at Wilson & Forrest Grocery store on Sherman street or see Luther Cox south end of Ross. Any quantity. Wilson & Forrest Phone 55. Luther Cox Phone 100-W. 10E30J

FOR SALE—Good home, vacant now. Close in, five large cool rooms, sleeping porch. Small house in rear. Income \$47.50 per month. Little cash left in car, down balance \$40.00 per month. 511 East Hopkins. 6J3

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HOUSES FOR RENT—K

FOR RENT—Four room furnished house for rent. Phone 485-J, after 1:30 p. m. 6K4

FOR RENT—One two room unfurnished house. Lights and water. 518 West Commerce. 7K2

FOR RENT—Two room house on 801 Commerce. Phone 130. 7K3

FOR RENT—Desirable 2 room house-keeping apartment, sink in kitchen and gas stove. Bath, close in, 3 blocks from City Hall. 305 East Hunt street, just off McKinney. 7K7

FOR RENT—Nice 2 room bungalow, 211 North McKinney. 7K3

FOR RENT—Modern six room bungalow, unfurnished. Apply 412 Bowie. 7K2

ROOMS FURNISHED—L

FOR RENT—A nice two room apartment, 612 East Palestine street. See Leonard Tidwell at Tidwell's Grocery. 4L10

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished 2 room apartment. \$5.00 and \$5.50 per week. 512 East Palestine. 5L4

FOR RENT—2 furnished Apartments, one cool room, also unfurnished house. 201 N. Bonham street. Phone 688-J. 2L7

Draught & Company vs. J. H. Gibson et al, placed in my hands for service, I, Whit Popejoy as Sheriff of Limestone County, Texas, did, on the 5th day of June 1923, levy on certain Real Estate, located in Limestone County, Texas, follows to-wit: All of land, being eigth (8 1/4) acre (the N. C. Rojon Eleven Lea Limestone County, Texas, do as follows: Beginning at the west corner of the 36 acre tract of land, conveyed by A. A. Jayne to N. S. Archer by deed recorded in book 55 page 485 Deed Records of Limestone County, Texas; thence North 36 West 400 yards to the Northwest corner of said tract, a stake on the South line of a 269 acre tract sold by H. E. Williams to E. W. Shields; thence North 35 West 167 yards, more or less, to the Northeast corner of a 2 1/4 acre tract conveyed to R. S. Williams by P. K. McKenzie, this point being the Southeast corner of Sam Cox's home tract; thence South 55 West 104 varas; thence North 35 West 83 varas; thence South 55 west 321 varas to the upper Southwest corner of said 269 acre tract, the point being the Northwest corner of a 65 acre tract heretofore conveyed to R. E. Williams by J. Shields; thence North 35 West 167 yards, more or less, to the Northeast corner of a 2 1/4 acre tract, and the Southwest corner of the 65 acre tract hereinabove mentioned, a stake in said branch; thence North 55 East 425 yards to the place of beginning, and levied upon as the property of J. H. Gibson and wife, Laura Gibson, and I. B. Sadler and that on the first Tuesday July 1923, the same being the 3d day of said month, at the Court House door of Limestone County in the town of Groesbeck, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will sell above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Revere Oil Company, and that on the 20th day of June, 1923, the same being the 20th day of said month, at Kosse, Texas, in Limestone County, in the town of Kosse, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale and Attachment, I will sell said above described personal property at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Revere Oil Company.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Mexia Daily News, a newspaper published in Limestone County.

Witness my hand, this 5th day of June, 1923.

Whit Popejoy,
Sheriff, Limestone County, Texas.
By N. P. Harris, Deputy. (7-14-21)

SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Limestone.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Limestone County, of the 5th day of June 1923, by the District Clerk of said County, for the sum of \$2,010.17 and costs of suit, under an Order of Sale and Foreclosure Lien, in favor of H. P. Draught & Company in a certain cause in said Court, No. 32790B and styled H. P.

of said Limestone for the sum of Fifteen Hundred Nine-threes 62-100 (\$1589.82) Dollars and costs of suit under an Order of Sale and Attachment, in favor of Bradford Supply Company, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 3464B and styled Bradford Supply Company vs. Revere Oil Company, placed in my hands for service, I, Whit Popejoy, as Sheriff of Limestone County, Texas, did, on the 6th day of June, 1923, levy on certain Personal Property situated in Limestone County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

One Standard Oil Rig complete.

One Ajax Engine 12x12, complete.

One Rubber Drilling Belt.

2 Bull ropes.

1 1/4 inch drilling stem.

2 6% bits.

4075 feet 7% drilling line.

1 set 5% drilling jars.

3 1/2 inch floor wrenches.

Jack and circle complete.

16 1/2 inch control head.

Crane and hoist complete.

1 set 5 1/2 inch three prong grabs.

1 half section boiler top.

2 3/2 inch floor wrenches.

4100 feet of sand line 9-16 inch.

2 3-1/2 bits.

1 oil spider 12 1/2 inch with ring.

1 40 H. P. boiler.

1 250 bbl. steel tank.

1 1600 gal. wooden tank.

15 joints 10 inch casing.

24 joints 6 1/2 inch casing.

20 joints 4 inch pipe line and rotary.

About one mile of 4 inch pipe line.

One 4 H. P. Nova water engine, complete, No. 5568A.

One Pyle generator, Type E.

2 steel tool boxes.

3645 feet 6% casing in hole.

And all of the leasehold estate for Oil and Gas rights in and under and that may be produced from Block 1 and Block 2 in Bratton's Addition to the town of Kosse, Texas, and shown on the map and plat of said addition made by R. S. Hunnicutt, all pipe and connections located thereon or used in connection therewith, and levied upon as the property of Revere Oil Company, and that on the 20th day of June, 1923, the same being the 20th day of said month, at Kosse, Texas, in Limestone County, in the town of Kosse, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale and Attachment, I will sell said above described personal property at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Revere Oil Company.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Mexia Daily News, a newspaper published in Limestone County.

Witness my hand, this 6th day of June, 1923.

Whit Popejoy,
Sheriff, Limestone County, Texas.
By N. P. Harris, Deputy. (7-14-21)

SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Limestone.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Limestone County, of the 5th day of June 1923, by the District Clerk of said County, for the sum of \$2,010.17 and costs of suit, under an Order of Sale and Foreclosure Lien, in favor of H. P. Draught & Company in a certain cause in said Court, No. 32790B and styled H. P.

of said Limestone for the sum of Fifteen Hundred Nine-threes 62-100 (\$1589.82) Dollars and costs of suit under an Order of Sale and Attachment, in favor of Bradford Supply Company, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 3464B and styled Bradford Supply Company vs. Revere Oil Company, placed in my hands for service, I, Whit Popejoy, as Sheriff of Limestone County, Texas, did, on the 6th day of June, 1923, levy on certain Personal Property situated in Limestone County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

One Standard Oil Rig complete.

One Ajax Engine 12x12, complete.

One Rubber Drilling Belt.

2 Bull ropes.

1 1/4 inch drilling stem.

2 6% bits.

4075 feet 7% drilling line.

1 set 5% drilling jars.

3 1/2 inch floor wrenches.

Jack and circle complete.

16 1/2 inch control head.

Crane and hoist complete.

1 set 5 1/2 inch three prong grabs.

1 half section boiler top.

2 3/2 inch floor wrenches.

4100 feet of sand line 9-16 inch.

2 3-1/2 bits.

1 oil spider 12 1/2 inch with ring.

1 40 H. P. boiler.

1 250 bbl. steel tank.

1 1600 gal. wooden tank.

15 joints 10 inch casing.

24 joints 6 1/2 inch casing.

20 joints 4 inch pipe line and rotary.

About one mile of 4 inch pipe line.

One 4 H. P. Nova water engine, complete, No. 5568A.

One Pyle generator, Type E.

2 steel tool boxes.

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Col. Humphreys Entertains In His Usual Happy Style

Thursday night at Colonel Humphreys club house on the banks of the meandering Navasota, was one long to pleasure to others. It is that spirit remembered by his many friends. The Colonel as usual had arranged for the Ligon Smith Orchestra of Dallas and along with the music was also the trail of the Colonel's chef. He had prepared certain foods that have become famous in this Resort of Mirth and Fun and with the sparkling punch the viands of the table and the illsing music of the orchestra no happier setting could have been planned.

Colonel's parties have become famous in this part of the State and are looked forward to with much zest by all his friends.

There were about two hundred present and Father Time was dipping a new his diamond pointed pen of hours to write the story of another day when the last Good Bye floated out on the early morning air.

Colonel Humphreys is a successful business man. A man of sound Judgment and constructive action—BUT all who know The Man as he is also real-

duly over-come. He made a manly effort to tell of the pleasure that this gift would bring to them and just as he was about to "cross the Marnie", his tongue slipped and Colonel saved him with "Go My Good Friends and Be Happy," to which "Etch" replied "Colonel you saved my life."

Things have been happening too fast for Etch and excitement was telling on him.

The chest of silver was a beautiful

design selected especially by Rotarian

Pat Patterson for the club and is a

token of rare value.

Colonel as usual was the last to leave the Club house and no one of his

friends was happier than he—his good

byes are really on invitation for the

next party and he looks forward to

them with the happiest anticipation.

MEXIA 6; CORSICANA 4

By HECK

Coming from behind after spotting the Gumbo Busters four tallies in the first frame, the Gushers kept hammering away at Joe Cantrell, the Gumbo's half-balk pitcher and finally put over the winning counters in the eleventh inning when Claude Bryan socked a homerun over the Studebaker sign in center field. There was the original wild man of Borneo and got into an awful jamb in the first stanza. Clopp, the first Gumbo to bat was thrown out at

first when Buoler spun on his ear and stopped Charlie's drive. Malmquist walked, Sengotta got an infield hit when he bounced a drive off Butler's ankle, Lacey ambled on four wild ones. Speegle singled to center after Tiner got into a bad hold due to wildness, Malmquist scoring on the bingle. Grubb singled to center on the hit and run scoring Lacy, Sengotta and Speegle. Leedy snagged Sain's high popup and Tiner tossed out Craig. The Gushers tallied one in the first on Geppert's single, Royster's double and Leedy's high fly back of short that Sain and Sengotta played tag with, and it fell for a hit. We should have scored a million but Butler hit into a two-ply killing, Malmquist to Sain to Speegle. The first frame was the entire crop of Gumbo runs and thereafter Tiner was king of the jungle and received brilliant support from his mates. The Gushers tied the count in the seventh when, Johnson opened the inning with an infield hit, Bryan singled to center, Howell sacrificed the two up a notch and both scored on Whitney's single to center. Tiner then dry cracked one for three bases scoring Whit with the tying run. Tiner was caught at the plate on the next play and the rally stopped. In the ninth it sure looked kinda blue for the home gang when

the Busters filled the sacks but two great catches by Howell and Leedy's leaping catch of Cantrell's knock kept the Busters away from the counting station. From then on to the eleventh it was just one durned hair raising play after another. Butler opened the eleventh with a long drive that Clopp speared after a long run. Johnson singled to left and Claude Bryan raised his leg and whammed a fast one on the inside that may be going yet. Claude collected three bingles during the afternoon's festivities but had no chances in the field. Howell made a gosh string catch on Grubb's drive in the ninth that looked good for two bases and Craig for the Busters just naturally snagged everything that even started toward right field backing against the fence for Leedy's drive and otherwise making himself useful. The Gushers turned in an errorless game and the work of the infield was especially worth the price of admission. Geppert, Leedy and Butler pulled plays that looked like the impossible—that gang sure looks good. Same clubs again today and Saturday. Martin opens Sunday for three games.

Box Score

CORSICANA—AB R H PO A E
Clopp, cf 3 0 1 5 0 0
Malmquist, 2b 4 1 1 3 3 0

Sengotta, lf 4 1 1 2 0 0
Laty, c 4 1 1 3 0 0
Speegle, 1b 5 1 2 10 1 0
Grubb, 3b 4 0 1 2 2 0
Sain, ss 5 0 1 1 3 1
Craig, rf 5 0 2 5 0 0
Cantrell, p 5 0 0 0 1 0

BOX SCORE OF LIONS-ROTARY
BALL GAME JUNE 6th, 1923.
Compiled by HECK
Assisted by Auditors, Adding
Machine, Etc.

LIONS—AB R H PO A E
Morrow, ss, lf 2 2 1 1 2 0
Johnson, ss 3 2 2 0 2 3
Sinclair, 3b 5 2 3 1 1 0
Brown, 2b 3 1 2 2 3 0
Klotz, 2b 2 0 0 1 2 1
Nunn, lf 3 2 2 0 0 0
G. Forrest, rf, ss 2 1 0 1 0 0
Reaves, rf 2 1 1 0 0 0
Hayter, cf 5 2 1 2 0 0
White, 1b 3 2 2 4 0 0
B. Forrest, c 3 2 2 0 0 0
Howell, rf 3 0 0 2 0 0
Karner, p, 1b 3 1 1 2 0 0
Whitney, c 4 1 1 3 1 0
Cason, p, 1b 2 2 3 1 0 0
Phillips, c 1 0 1 2 0 0

39 20 21 11 4

ROTARY—AB R H PO A E
Sargeant, ss, p 3 0 0 0 2 1
Stollenwerck, c, p 4 1 0 6 2 0
Keyes, rf 2 1 2 0 0 0
Eubanks, p, ss, 3b 4 1 2 2 4 1
Bayless, 1b, c 4 0 0 8 0 0
N. Forrest, 2b 2 0 0 1 0 0
Patterson, cf, 2b 2 0 0 0 0 1
Corley, lf, ss 4 1 2 1 0 0
Echison, 3b, ss, p 2 0 0 1 0 0
Tidwell, cf 3 0 1 2 0 0
Hatch, p 1 0 0 0 3 0
31 4 7 21 11 3

Score by innings:

Lions 154 214 3
Rotary 100 100 2

A BUSY PLACE

The Mexia Dry Goods Company's BIG CLOSING OUT SALE, Swung into Action This A. M., and immediately the isles Swarmed With Eager Shoppers.

THE PEOPLE "CAUGHT THE MESSAGE"

The People Know that when The Mexia Dry Goods Company Promises CHEAPER MERCHANDISE They Always Find The Goods and The Price

NOW LISTEN FOLKS

There is going to be "SOME FUN" in this old town. Somehow or other Dry Goods are TAKING A TERRIBLE SLUMP. We reckon we are to blame, but we ARE LEAVING MEXIA and care nothing for Profits. It's Business We Want. And if cutting prices will help us get away any sooner

WE MAY CUT PRICES SOME MORE

We have only Thirty-two business days left in Mexia and Positively will Close Out and withdraw from the field on this date.

A Hint To The Wise Is Sufficient

The Mexia Dry Goods Co.

Every 5c Worth of Goods In Our House Is On Sale And Reduced In Price

For Breakfast

Make Use of—

- Kellogg's Bran Flakes
- Kellogg's Corn Flakes
- Kellogg's Shredded Krumbles
- Kellogg's Bran
- Ralstons Whole Wheat Cereal
- Purina Bran Zos
- Shredded Wheat
- Grape-Nuts
- Puffed Rice and Wheat
- Wheatena
- Cream of Wheat
- Post Toasties
- Maple-Flake
- Mothers Aluminum Oats
- Armours Oats

NICE FRYERS TODAY

Our Darling Corn	16c
No. 2 Tomatoes can	12c
1 pound Calumet	29c
Canteloupes	15c
Evaporated Apples lb.	15c
Lemons, Dozen	20c
RED MARK Flour 48 pounds	\$1.95

For the Dessert

Make Use of—

- Canned Fruit Salad
- Sliced Pineapples
- Sliced Peaches
- Prepared Prunes
- Blue Berries
- Gooseberries
- Strawberries
- Muscat Grapes
- Green Gage Plums
- Royal Anne Cherries
- Bartlett Pears
- Red Pitted Cherries
- Jello
- Sunshine Cakes
- Gelatine

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ANOTHER BIG FAILURE ON WALL STREET

France Notifies Germany That Sabotage Cease

PARIS, June 8.—France sent to Germany a strongly worded note demanding that resistance of the Military Control Commissions cease immediately. Premier Poincare will communicate with the other allies regarding the advisability of replying to the latest German reparations offer, but in the meantime he made it clear to Germany that the latter's policy of sabotage and resistance must end before any agreement can be reached.

A. B. WALKER, AG'D WHITE MAN DIES NEAR TRACKS THURSDAY

Late Thursday afternoon railroad employees discovered a white man in the weeds near the tracks just south of the tower in the right of way of the H. & T. C. Railroad.

Judge Osborn Kennedy was called and visited the place and found that the man had been dead possibly a few hours, but rendered no decision as to the cause of death.

The body was turned over to the Undertaking company and investigation of his trunk which was found at a local hotel produced evidence that the man was A. B. Walker, aged about 68 years. He had several bank books, one issued by the City National Bank, of Mexia, some deeds to property in New Mexico and some oil leases in the Powell field.

It also appears that his home was in Des Moines, Iowa, and the body is being held awaiting answers to messages sent relatives up there.

It is supposed that death was the result of heart failure, as the man was seen walking down through the yards Thursday morning, apparently in good health.

W. K. Boyd Back From Mississippi

W. K. Boyd, president and manager of the Daily News, returned Thursday afternoon from a two weeks vacation spent at his old home in Enterprise, Miss.

He says it rained nearly every day he was there, and that fires were comfortable for several days.

Mr. Boyd says the crops around Ennis are the finest he has ever seen, anywhere, and that no artist could paint a more beautiful picture of waving corn and growing cotton.

He spent Thursday in Corsicana, where they are getting ready for a boom on account of the Powell oil field that is now getting interesting. Said he saw a number of Mexia people in Corsicana opening up branch offices, but they all swear by Mexia, and long to get back home.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH SERVICES

Bible school as 9:45. Carl Davis Superintendent.

Worship and preaching at 11:00. "Throwing Stones" will be the subject of the morning message. Every member of the church is expected at the service. Visitors will receive a hearty welcome, so come and be with us.

Christian Endeavor at 7:00 p. m. C. O. Sergeant, leader. The leader has promised us a surprise at this service so let us all be there and see what it is.

The subject for the sermon at 8:00 p. m. will be: "The Three Worlds." Come and hear about them.

We all hope that the teachers that are leaving for their home for the summer vacation will return next year to continue their work. Those who have left are: Misses Faerine Quin, Ruby Stroud, Matty Gregory, Ruth Jewell, Jamie Murray and Alpha Neumann.

Did Jesse Carson Kidnap Hammer Slayer?



Jesse Carson

Swept On Rocks But U. S. Ship Goes to The Rescue

SEATTLE, Wash., June 8.—The crews of two ships, victims of a double disaster on hidden rocks near Chirikof Island, 190 miles south of the Alaskan peninsula, were saved by the United States supply ship Cuyama. The mine sweeper Cardinal and survey ship Discoverer were both wrecked when the wind lashed waves dashed the vessels on the rocky reefs. Radio advised that the Cuyama removed the crews safely in small boats. A total of 135 were aboard the ships.

TAXI WAR IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, June 8.—An alleged "checker" taxicab drivers war was blamed yesterday for the slaying of Frank Sexton, "union slugger" resulted today in bombing of the home of Morris Markin, president of the Checker Taxicab Manufacturing Co.

The residence was partially wrecked and Markin and his family were thrown from their beds.

FRENCH WRECK KILLS SIX
BRUSSELS, June 8.—Six persons were killed and twenty injured when the Brussels express was derailed near Verviers.

Julius Fols of New York and Bob Bratsch of the Dallas Land office of the Humphreys Oil Company arrived on the noon train Friday for a two days consultation with Col. A. E. Humphreys regarding oil properties and pending developments.

Frank Smith and Walter Kinard of Dallas, who have been looking after their oil operations in the Groesbeck field passed thru Mexia Thursday via auto on their way to Dallas. Mr. Smith speaks very encouragingly of the Groesbeck field and thinks it only a matter of a short while until they will find there an oil field that will renew interest in this entire section.

Judge and Mrs. C. S. Bradley of Groesbeck attended Col. Humphreys party and dance last night at the Club House as special guest of the Host.

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The Quinn 2 per cent sulphur production tax bill passed the Senate, 17 to 6.

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A LITTLE DIVERSION
Alcohol Smith will never be president of these United States. You can bet your last dollar on this.

There seems to be a desire down at Austin to change the name of the state to "Taxes."

A rather "fishy" story comes from El Paso in the report that a man stole a red hot stove and the police found it at a pawn shop before it had cooled off. The fishy part is that the police found it so quick.



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A headline says: "Finds lizard that swims, flies, dives, climbs and laughs." Wonder what the "finder" has been drinking?

Clara Phillips is now known by a number—37,944—but she is still talking about a vindication in the courts.

It comes from Dallas that Tom Love, democratic national committeeman for Texas, is against Al Smith. And Tom is not alone in his opposition to the New York erstwhile boss.

Hanging will no longer be legally practiced in Texas, since Governor Neff has signed the bill substituting electrocution for the rope as a means of executing convicted criminals. But the rope will still be used.

ed in cases that the courts cannot, or will not, reach.

A man in El Paso while praying but not watching, was robbed by another man with a Mexican name. But he caught the thief and saw him convicted and sentenced to five years. It is supposed that the pick pocket was "watching" but not "praying."

And now there is talk of still another called session of the legislature after the present session Peters out and nothing done. How long, oh, Lord, are the people going to stand for such tomfoolery?

Geo. Bailey, the versatile paragrapher on the Houston Post says: "We don't put corned beef and cabbage above everything else in the world, but one bait of that delectable dish means more to us than

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7-8 yard unbleached domestic 10c
Shirting Calico, yard 10c
Bed sheets each, 95c, \$1.50 and \$1.75
Pillow cases, each 29c and 38c
Bath Towels, each 19c, 35c and 38c
Ladies Gowns, 75c, \$1.25 and 1.75
Misses Gowns 75c and 95c
Ladies fancy undershirts 95c to \$2.50
Ladies Plain White Underskirts, each 75c and 95c
Ladies Camisoles 75c and 50c
Children's play suits 75c and 95c
Men's work shirts, \$1.50, 95c and 75c
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Ladies silk and fiber silk hose in Gunmetal, Russia calf, very modestly priced, \$2.90, \$3.50, \$3.90 \$4.90
Ladies silk and fiber silk hose in black, white and leading shades at 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.90
Ladies lisle hose 19c and 25c
Ladies silk lisle black, per pair 50c
Children's ribbed hose, 2 for 25c
Misses ribbed hose, per pair 25c
Children's sox and 3-4 length, priced 25c, 38c and 45c
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Men's Straw Hats to close out at big reduction, priced \$1.90, \$2.25, \$2.50
Men's and boys caps, priced at 95c, \$1.00, \$1.50 to \$2.25
One table full of men's and boys' odd and end shoes. These shoes are worth up to \$6.00 per pair. Your choice only \$1.90
Men's sox, 2 pairs for 25c
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MEXIA, TEXAS

Roy Mitchell Death Sentence Confirmed Wed.

Austin, Texas, June 8.—The case of the negro, Roy Mitchell, convicted at Waco of the murder of Mrs. Ethel Denecamp, while she was out driving with W. E. Holt, was affirmed Wednesday by the court of criminal appeals. This is one of a series of cases against Mitchell.

"The record is devoid of any exception to the charge of the court," said the opinion of the higher court, "or to anything that transpired during the trial."

"The gravity of the punishment inflicted has caused us to scrutinize carefully the record to see if it be at all likely that anything has been done during the trial that would affect its fairness. We see no lack of fairness on the trial. The charge of the court was full and explicit. The testimony was overwhelming. The jury exercised the discretion confided in them in the administration of punishment."

Counterfeiting Booze Labels

NEW YORK, June 7.—Counterfeitors who manufactured fake liquor labels to pass off doctored booze as "real stuff" have been rounded up by the secret service in arrests which are believed to have thwarted a nation-wide plot.

Millions of bogus revenue stamps, labels, fake medical prescriptions and printing paraphernalia were seized.

Sixteen are under arrest and more may be taken.

Secret service agents who arrested the counterfeiters say the labels could have been used to disguise \$25,000,000 worth of any kind of liquor so as to make it appear that it had been smuggled into this country from abroad or illegally withdrawn from bonded warehouses.

The gang worked in several groups. One division manufactured liquor of questionable purity; another made the fake labels; a third managed to withdraw liquor from bonded under fake permits and the fourth dispensed the illegal wares of the other three.

The systematic raids were conducted over a 25 mile area in New York. Most of the thirteen were taken in Brooklyn. Three were found

in Manhattan. Two already have been held in jail.

Following the discoveries, Joseph A. Palma, chief of the local secret service issued a warning against buying of high grade Scotch liquor and "imported" gin. He said the intoxicants disguised by the counterfeitors were dangerous and officials had no way of knowing how many bogus bottles had been circulated throughout the country before the arrests were made.

Little Samaritan Buys Water For A Thirsty Pup

DALLAS, Texas June 8.—Filled to the brim with the milk of human kindness, a little youngster in the neighborhood of five walked up to a soda fountain in the business district of this city, elevated himself on tiptoes and asked for a glass of water.

"I want to take it out," he said. "There's a dog down the street an' he's awfully thirsty and I think he would like a drink."

The dispenser smiled, filled a paper cup to the brim, passed it to the "good Samaritan" and the little tot shoved up a nickel.

Miss Abbie Favers, teacher in the Beaumont High school, is in the city spending the week with Miss Consula Cogdell.

If you miss the Shrine banquet tonight, you will regret it. The fun makers always enjoy their get-together meetings and there is always something doing when they take a notion to start something.

BIG SPECIAL—SATURDAY—High grade blue and white enamelware, at 75 cents each. See it in our window. Peoples Variety Store. 7d2

Summer school opens Monday, June 11th at 8 o'clock in Sumpter street building. Tuition \$10.00. Misses Simmonds, McAnely and Kauhl, teachers. Phone 165 and 150-J —Reader 7

Rapid progress has been made this week in laying concrete on East Sumpter street, between Ross avenue and Bonham street. When the asphalt topping is put on this unit, the first paved loop will be completed.

"The Old Oaken Bucket" was written by Samuel Woodworth in 1817.



A Scene from
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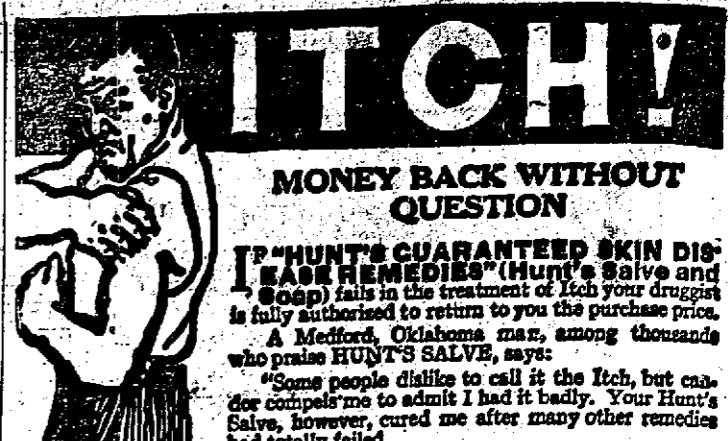
I THANK YOU, —Patterson.

BOYS AND GIRLS AGRICUL-
TURAL CLUB

CENTER, Texas June 8.—More than 300 visitors are expected to attend the agricultural encampment for the Boys and Girls clubs of Panola, San Augustine and Shelby counties which will be held here July 6 and 7.

A program has been prepared for the occasion.

Hawaiian tree ferns have been found to be a source of starch.



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HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES (Hunt's Salve and Soap) fails in the treatment of Itch your druggist is fully authorized to return to you the purchase price.

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We want you to know that we carry a great line of "cool clothes" and they are priced to suit you. Then we have a line of furnishings which can't be beat for quality.

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THE ME HI NEWS

BY WILLIE WRIGHT

Is it possible for Miss McCravy to give an easy exam. Mr. Dawson to get fat. Mrs. Johnson to chew gum. Hazel Fielder to be hardboiled. Griffin Thrift to play football. Dick Atkinson to be a bootlegger. Fred Hoskins to keep away from the girls. Jim Smith to play tennis. Red Forrest to keep a staright face. Bill Jewel to act natural. Emily Davis to giggle. Mr. Evans to pull a joke.

Dick Williams is trying to get a job working at the courthouse at Groesbeck—Wants to learn law I guess.

Carlos Clover said, that he was going to buy a new collar and handkerchief. Wonder how come—Got religion I guess or maybe he wants to go to—now and then.

We understand that Miss Spearman will teach summer school here this summer. And still she says that she does not like to teach. Seems to us that the weather would be too hot.

The Slimes played their game against the Grammar School Sluggers Monday afternoon and came out riding on the small end of the 8 to 7 count.

SENIOR DOPE

You know folks, we feel mighty funny now that we have finished our High School course and I'll say that it sure takes a lot off of your back. What's more we sure do feel important but when we start thinking of the good times that we used to have at old M. H. S., we sorta feel lost and sorry that we had to leave. We have made many friends and some enemies, no doubt, back there, and there is where we learned to live like a man, work like a man, and above all respect and be respected like a man.

We would fight for M. H. S. as a mother hen would fight for her baby chicks. How we gloried in being able to defend the laurels of the school on the gridiron, diamond, track, basketball and tennis courts. These were and will be the happiest moments of our life, we know, for it was then that we learned the meaning of loyalty toward your school, and most of all, to be as good a looser as a winner.

I will say to those who follow, that they sure will have to work to make the grade, and I don't believe that you



—And
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It Did Do

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can make it in high, so you had better be ready to shift gears if necessary.

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Some of us may leave you and some may not, and speaking for the whole class I will say, that we are glad that we have finished our work but we can not say that we are glad to leave school, with its happy times and leave all of those friends whom we made the acquaintance of during our school days.

"Though we may all be scattered, Fond memories will turn back, To our friends and gray companions

Of the Crimson and the Black. —Reporter.

Enjoyable Meeting Knights of Pythias

Travis Lodge No. 20, Knights of Pythias had a number of guests from Groesbeck at the meeting last night and all enjoyed the affair. One Esquire from Groesbeck was Knighted and a number of good talks were made by Judge A. M. Blackmon, Judge Bill Kennedy, Jim Thompson and others, and then refreshments, consisting of ice cream and cake gladdened the inner man. There were several cars fram Groesbeck.

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A Glance Over The Past
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It is with pleasure that we look back over the past season of the high school, although there are several defeats among, we know that we have a good record.

First let us discuss the football season, we had one of the strongest teams that has ever been put out by the Mexia High school in many, many years. There is but one defeat on the record.

The standing is:

Hubbard—3, Mexia—6; Marlin—35, Mexia—0; (Terrible.) Groesbeck—0, Mexia—19; Teague—6, Mexia—6; Corsicana—0, Mexia—0; Tehuacana—13, Mexia—13; Coolidge—0, Mexia—1, (forfeit.) Coolidge—6, Mexia—33.

This was the first year that Mexia High has ever attempted to put out a boys basketball team and we did not show up as well as some of the others but we went to the finals in the county meet. Mart—22, Mexia—20; Dawson—20, Mexia—16; Kossie—10, Mexia—18; Coolidge—18, Mexia—16.

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Many Grammar School Students Promoted To The High School

M. L. Hurst, principal of the North Ward School, at the commencement exercises Monday night presented certificates to the following who completed the course of study in the Grammar School and who were promoted to the High School:

June Promotions to High School

Anderson, Bernice

Barnes, Ola

Brown, Dorothy

Buie, Maurine

Cochrane, Helen

Cox, Rita

Fielder, Ray

Hughes, Genevieve

Jackson, Cecil

Lawrence, Delma

Lawrence, Zelma

Lily, Eva Mae

McQueen, Ena

Miller, Maurine

Miller, Ruby

Neely, Corine

Purcell, Noah

Read, Earle

Reeves, Thelma

Sikes, Beaulah

Spruill, Alma

Stampf, Mary

Stevens, Pauline

Stewart, Willie Mae

Stone, Fred

Turner, Ruth Stone

Wilson, Ruby

Wood, Arline

Wright, Pauline

Mid-Term Promotions to High School!

Wendell Beene

Arvin Butler

Louis Clubb

Chester Davis

Ernest Gant

Fred Hanscom

Chester Harris

Felix Knoff

Morris Knox

Adron Medford

Jim Seel Garner

Glois Lewallen

Bill Meadows

Joy Adams

Mattie Allen

Viola Boykin

Dannie Lloyd Bowers

Russie Lee Browning

Thelma Martin

Lillie Robinson

Lola Rogers

Alice Yeldell

WHEN WHALE BOATS CRASH AND CAPSIZE

Fourteen members of the crew of the whaling schooner used for filming Ben Ames Williams' famous story, "All the Brothers Were Valiant," now at the National Theatre, were thrown into the cold waters of the Pacific when two twenty-foot whale boats collided several miles out from San Francisco. Because of their heavy clothing, oilskins and seaman's boots they were saved only with difficulty.

The only prominent members of the cast in either of the boats was Robert McKim. Irvin V. Willat, who directed the picture, Billie Dove, Malcolm McGregor and Lon Chaney were interested spectators in the tug, which also bore the battery of cameras grinding steadily away.

In this scene of the Irvin V. Willat production the boats were to be chasing a whale for some distance. The

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"A friendly Husband" is replete with uproarious fun and is so entirely different from anything of its kind that has come before it that it proved a revelation to last night's audience. Unlike the usual feature length comedy production, in "A Friendly Husband" there is no indication of so-called "padding" for during every minute of the picture there is action a-plenty and comedy of a spontaneous, unusual sort.

Here is a comedy that everyone should see. The kiddies will love it and the grownups will be treated with a laugh that will be remembered for a long, long time. It's a sure cure for the blues.

H. Clay Freeman and his bride, arrived from Galveston Thursday afternoon and are now at home at the cottage on the corner of Canton and Bowie streets.

Constable Wallace Hancock of the Coolidge precinct was in the city Thursday, shaking hands with old time Mexia friends.

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Tommy Gibbons Is Confident Can Lick Jack

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"If I weren't sure I'd win, the bout would be called off right now," he said as he twirled his new Bangkok hat, presented by a St. Paul admirer.

Tom was holding an informal reception for the townpeople.

"I will always feel grateful to the



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people of Shelby for giving me this opportunity which has been denied by eastern promoters for two years," he said.

"We had to come west to get our chance.

"I am not under-estimating Jack's

hitting ability, but I am very confident I can knock him out before ten rounds."

Tom, his wife, and three boys arrived Wednesday night from St. Paul.

The challenger will not do any heavy work before Friday.

E. M. Hitt of the firm of Hitt and Ellisor, proprietors of two local barber shops, has been granted permission to repair partitions in their new shop at Corsicana, which is located at 211 South Beaton street.



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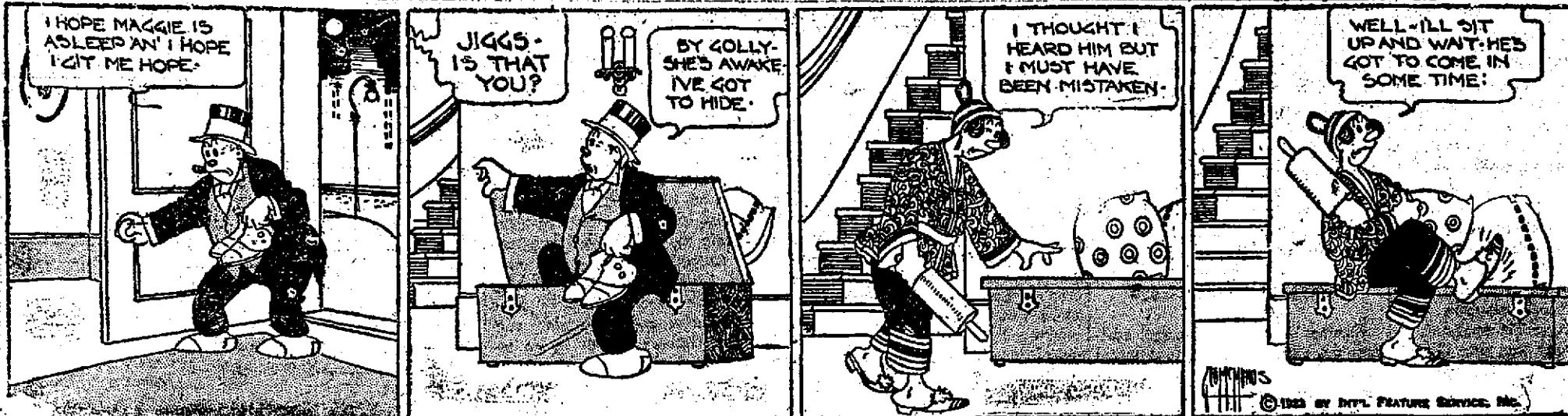
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WANTED—Boys to carry paper routes for this paper. Between 13 and 16 years. See E. J. Ormsby, daily news office. 6A3

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FOR SALE—Second-hand lumber, brick and kindling wood. See Superintendent at Mexia High School, at once. 5J3

FOR SALE—A 16 room apartment house; 7 room residence on lot 125 feet fronting on East Palestine street. See Leonard Tidwell at Tidwell's Grocery. 4J10

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Draught & Company vs. J. H. Gibson et al, placed in my hands for service, I, Whit Popejoy as Sheriff of Limestone county, Texas, did, on the 5th day of June 1923, levy on certain Real Estate, located in Limestone county, Texas, described as follows: All certain tract of land, being eight and one fourth (8 1/4) acre of the N. C. Rothen Bileen Len. Limestone County, Texas, described as follows: Beginning at the west corner of the 36 acre tract of land, conveyed by A. A. Jayne to N. S. Archer by deed recorded in book 55 page 485 Deed Records of Limestone county, Texas; thence North 35 West 540 varas to the Northwest corner of said tract, a stake on the South line of a 269 acre tract sold by Holiday to McKenzie; thence South 55 West 104 varas; thence North 35 West 63 varas; thence South 55 west 321 varas to the upper Southwest corner of said 269 acre tract, this point being the northwest corner of a 65 acre tract heretofore conveyed to R. E. Willis by I. Shields; thence North 35 West 167 varas, more or less, to the Northeast corner of a 21 1/4 acre tract conveyed to R. S. Willis by P. K. McKenzie, this point being the Southeast corner of Sam Cox's home tract; thence South 55 West 294 varas to stake in branch; thence in a southeasterly direction with the meanders of said branch to the Southeast corner of said 21 1/4 acre tract, and the Southwest corner of the 65 acre tract hereinabove mentioned, a stake in said branch; thence North 55 East 425 varas to the place of beginning, and levied upon as the property of J. H. Gibson and wife, Laura Gibson, and I. B. Sadler and that on the first Tuesday in July 1923, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the Court House door of Limestone County in the town of Groesbeck, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will sell above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, for the property of said J. H. Gibson and wife, Laura Gibson, and I. B. Sadler.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Mexia Daily News, a newspaper published in Limestone County. Witness my hand, this 6th day of June, 1923. Whit Popejoy, Sheriff Limestone County, Texas. By N. P. Harris, Deputy. (7-14-21)

NOTICE.—C. W. Davis has taken over my interest in the market known as Bains & Davis and has assumed all obligations. I will not be responsible for any debts outstanding or any debts contracted in the future. L. A. Bains. 7P10

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WOODBINE SAND MAY BE TAPPED AT LORENA

A. H. Bell, who with C. C. Shumway, is drilling a wildcat well near Lorena believes that the cap of the Woodbine sand has been encountered.

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Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Bexar County, of the 2nd day of June, 1923, by the District Clerk of said Bexar County, for the sum of \$2,010.17 and costs of suit, under an Order of Sale and Foreclosure Lien, in favor of H. P. Draught & Company in a certain cause in said Court, No. 32750B and styled H. P.

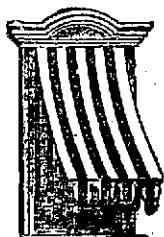
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Colonel's parties have become famous in this part of the State and are looked forward to with much zest by all his friends.

There were about two hundred present and Father Time was dipping a new his diamond pointed pen of hours to write the story of another day when the last Good Bye floated out on the early morning air.

Colonel Humphreys is a successful business man. A man of sound judgement and constructive action—BUT all who know The Man as he is also real-

duly over-come. He made a manly effort to tell of the pleasure that this gift would bring to them and just as he was about to "cross the Marine" his tongue slipped and Colonel saved him with "Go My Good Friends and Be Happy," to which "Etch" replied "Colonel you saved my life." Things have been happening too fast for Etch and excitement was telling on him.

The chest of silver was a beautiful design selected especially by Rotarian Pat Patterson for the club and is a token of rare value.

Colonel as usual was the last to leave the Club house and no one of his friends was happier than he—his good byes are really on invitation for the next party and he looks forward to them with the happiest anticipation.

MEXIA 6; CORSCANA 4

By HECK

Coming from behind after spotting the Gumbo Busters four tallies in the first frame, the Gushers kept hammering away at Joe Cantrell, the Gumbo's half-ball pitcher and finally put over the winning counters in the eleventh inning when Claude Bryan socked a homerun over the Studebaker sign in center field. There was the original wild man of Borneo and got into an awful jamb in the first stanza. Clopp, the first Gumbo to bat was thrown out at

first when Bueler spun on his ear and stopped Charlie's drive. Malmquist walked, Sengotta got an infield hit when he bounced a drive off Butler's ankle, Lacey ambled on four wild ones. Speegle singled to center after Tiner got into a bad hole due to wildness, Malmquist scoring on the bingle. Grubb singled to center on the hit and run scoring Lacey, Sengotta and Speegle. Leedy snagged Sain's high popup and Tiner tossed out Craig. The Gushers tallied one in the first on Geppert's single, Royster's double and Leedy's high fly back of short that Sain and Sengotta played tag with and it fell for a hit. We should have scored a million but Butler hit into a two-ply killing, Malmquist to Sain to Speegle. The first frame was the entire crop of Gumbo runs and thereafter Tiner was king of the jungle and received brilliant support from his mates. The Gushers tied the count in the seventh when Johnson opened the inning with an infield hit, Bryan singled to center, Howell sacrificed the two up a notch and both scored on Whitney's single to center. Tiner then dry crackled one for three bases scoring Whit with the tying run. Tiner was caught at the plate on the next play and the rally stopped. In the ninth it sure looked kinda blue for the home gang when

the Busters filled the sacks but two great catches by Howell and Leedy's leaping catch of Cantrell's knock kept the Busters away from the counting station. From then on to the eleventh it was just one durned hair raising play after another. Butler opened the eleventh with a long drive that Clopp speared after a long run. Johnson singled to left and Claude Bryan raised his leg and whammed a fast one on the inside that may be going yet. Claude collected three bingles during the afternoon's festivities but had no chances in the field. Howell made a shoestring catch on Grubb's drive in the ninth that looked good for two bases and Craig for the Busters just naturally snagged everything that even started toward right field backing against the fence for Leedy's drive and otherwise making himself useful. The Gushers turned in an errorless game and the work of the infield was especially worth the price of admission. Geppert, Leedy and Butler pulled plays that looked like the impossible—that gang sure looks good. Same clubs again today and Saturday. Marlin opens Sunday for three games.

Box Score

CORSCANA—AB R H PO A E
Clopp, cf 3 0 1 5 0 0
Malmquist, 2b 4 1 1 3 3 0

BOX SCORE OF LIONS-ROTARY						
BALL GAME JUNE 6th, 1923						
Compiled by HECK						
Assisted by Auditors, Adding Machine, Etc.						
LIONS—AB R H PO A E						
Morrow, ss 2	2	1	1	2	0	
Johnson, ss 3	2	2	0	2	3	
Sinclair, 3b 5	2	3	1	1	0	
Brown, 2b 3	1	2	2	3	0	
Klotz, 2b 2	0	1	2	1		
Nunn, lf 3	2	2	0	0		
G. Forrest, rf, ss 2	2	1	0	0		
Reaves, rf 2	1	1	0	0		
Hayter, cf 2	1	2	0	0		
White, 1b 3	2	4	0	0		
B. Forrest, c 3	2	2	0	0		
Karner, p, 1b 3	1	1	2	0		
Cason, p, 1b 2	2	2	3	1		
Phillips, c 1	0	1	2	0		
ROTARY—AB R H PO A E						
Sargeant, ss, p 3	0	0	2	1		
Stollenwerck, c, p 4	1	0	6	2	0	
Keyes, rf 2	1	2	0	0	1	
Eubanks, p, ss, 3b 4	1	2	2	4	1	
Bayless, 1b, c 4	0	0	8	0	0	
N. Forrest, 2b 2	0	1	0	0		
Patterson, cf, 2b 2	0	0	0	1	0	
Corley, lf, ss 4	1	2	1	0		
Etchison, 3b, ss, p 2	0	1	0	0		
Tidwell, cf 3	0	1	2	0		
Hatch, p 1	0	0	0	3		
Score by innings:						
Lions 154	214	3				
Rotary 100	100	2				

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- Gooseberries
- Strawberries
- Muscat Grapes
- Green Gage Plums
- Royal Anne Cherries
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